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Sensational Price Cutting of

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We MUST close out balance of our Winter Cloaks and Furs,

Saturday, January 21, and Monday and Tuesday, January 23 end 24.

Three days only we will sell

Ladies' 27 inch Black Kersey Coats worth \$7.50 at \$3.75.

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Schedule of Teachers' Examinations. 1904-5.

March 9-10, ... Silas Marner-Eliot. June 15-16,....Bangor
Legend of Sleepy Hollow-Irving
August 10-11...Paw Paw
Elegy of a Country Churchyard-Gray.
October 19-20...Paw Paw
Oration at Laying of Corner Stone of Bunker Hill
Monument-Webster.

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Local Department.

Cleveland Ladies' orchestra-January

N. L. Cook of Bangor was in town last

A. L. Robbins of Bangor spent Wednes-

day in town. E. E. Ferguson of Bangor was in town

last Toesday. John Wilson, Sr., is visiting in Battle

Creek this week. L. J. Lewis of Bangor was in town the

first of the week.

one day this week. Miss Ritchie Hopping is the new clerk

in the probate office. Arthur Wilson of Gagetown is visiting

relatives in Paw Paw. F. H. Crisp of Benton Harbor was in

Paw Paw, Wednesday. R. A. Shoesmith spent Wednesday

and Thursday in Chicago. Mrs. A. W. Cumings is confined to the

house on account of sickness.

E. F. Bard of Benton Harbor was in town the forepart of the week.

Clyde Ketchum of Downgiac spent one day this week in Paw Paw,

Andrew Donovan of South Haven was in town the forepart of the week.

H. A. Cole intends to go soon for visit to his son Bert in California. Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Rowland are at-

tending a meeting of the Michigan State Press association at Detroit.

Emmett Northrup of Janesville, Wis., is visiting old friends in Paw Paw. was in Paw Paw one day this week.

Geo. E. Schairer of Benton Harbor was in Paw Paw one day this week. Regular meeting of the W. R. C., Saturday afternoon, Jan. 21; initiation.

Regular meeting of Paw Paw chapter No. 34, R. A. M., this evening. Work. Mrs. Kittie Balch has returned to Paw Paw, after spending several weeks in

day evening.

Kalamazoo.

at 6 o'clock Sunday evening.

Mrs. H. H. Jennings is at Kalamazoo, assisting in the care of a new grandson, born to Mr. and Mrs. Birney Buck, Married, January 19, at Paw Paw, by

Justice Rowland, Vern W. Tripp of Kib-

bie and Hallie C. Merritt of Keeler.

president of the Kalamazoo academy of win; 20, Keeler; 21, Hartford; 22, Breedsmedicine at its annual meeting last ville; 23, Bangor; 24, Covert; 25, South

Don't forget the next number on the Coterie course, the Cleveland Ladies' orchestra, to-morrow evening at the op-

Advertised letters: Arthur Chaterdon, T. R. Dunn, John B. Hopkins, E. W. Patrick, Mrs. Fisk (carpet weaver), Miss

Carrie Markillie. The ladies of the Free Baptist church will serve a chicken pie dinner at the Grange hall, Wednesday, January 25;

dinner from 11 to 2. Paw Paw chapter, order of the Eastern Star, will hold a chapter of sorrow next Wednesday evening, in memory of

the late John Ihling. John Ryder, John Allen, Thomas Maguire and Frank Ryan of Kalamazoo are spending 20 days in the county jail on a

charge of disorderly conduct. Special communication of Paw Paw lodge No. 25, F. & A. M., next Tuesday

evening; work in third degree. Refreshments will be had after the work. Rev. D. L. Thoburn, D. D., a returned missionary from India, will speak at the

M. E. church Sunday morning and at Lawton M. E. church in the evening. The state horticultural society will hold its February meeting in Paw Paw

February 23-24. A rare treat is in store for those who attend. All are invited. Mrs. Richard Bogard of Kalamazoo died January 11. Her maiden name was Myrtie Burdick; she was a grand-daugh-

ter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Chapman of Paw Paw. Judge and Mrs. Johnson are called to New York again, where the judge will assist in settling his father's estate.

They will go from there south to remain a couple of months. The Epworth league will give a 10 cent sleighride and social at the home of Leon Douglass, Monday evening, January 23. Meet at M. E. parsonage at 7

o'clock. Everyone is invited. Do not forget the masquerade bail to be given at the opera house this evening. Music by Maple City orchestra; bill, 75 cents, spectators, 15 cents. Each person will be required to give name at the

The ladies' aid of the M. E. church will give a sleighride and supper next tl* Tuesday evening, January 24, at Mrs. Mary Whitcomb's. Teams will leave Mrs. Will Cooper's between 5 and 6.

Everyone is invited. The members of Paw Paw fire department wish to thank Miss Aileen Buskirk, Miss Ione Reynolds and Mr. George Linderman for their kindness in furnishing music at the concert on the evening of their annual ball.

The Niles district missionary convocation will be held at the Three Rivers M E. church Monday and Tuesday, January 23-24. Rev. J. C. Floyd, D. D., D. Anderson was in South Haven, missionary field secretary, Dr. J. M. West, president of Lucknow college, Rev. James Lyon, D. D., and Rev. D. L. Thoburn, D. D., returned missionary

from India, will give addresses. The chapter of sorrow held by the Eastern Star chapter last Friday evening, in memory of Mrs. Nellie Cole, was attended by a large number of the Masonic fraternity, members of the Eastern Star and of the Lady Maccabees, who Wm. Broadwell of Bangor was in town | were specially invited to be present. The ceremony is a most solemn and impressive one, a fitting tribute to the memory of a deceased member of the order.

The Cleveland Ladies' orchestra is an aggregation of genuine musical artists, under the direction of Alfred Metzdorf, the great Cleveland leader and violin soloist. Miss Charlotte Mendell is a soprano of great ability and delightful personality, with a voice of marvelous beauty, Miss Parsons is the leading lady trombonist of the country, and Miss Swigart's cornet solo work is highly praised. The entertainment promises to be the "red letter" one of the Coterie course. Don't miss it, at the opera house Saturday

In mentioning the annual election of officers in the Paw Paw Savings bank, The True Northerner should have stated that the directors were unanimous in the desire that W. J. Sellick should remain as president, but in view of the fact that he is soon going for an extended trip abroad, he declined to accept the place. Then the directors, looking over G. W. Bridgeman of Benton Harbor their number for a president, very happily selected M. L. Decker, whose success and good judgment in business affairs admirably fit him for the responsible position, and the bank's interests will be well cared for with him at the head of the board, and the old and efficient cashier and assistant in active charge.

At a meeting of the executive committee of the County Sunday School associntion at Lawrence last week Thursday, arrangements were made to hold a The second rank will be conferred in county Sunday school tour, or a series Maple Grove lodge, K. of P., next Mon- of rallies throughout the county during February. The party will consist of The C. E. of the Free Baptist church Mrs. G. L. Fox, state primary superinwill meet at the home of E. A. Aseltine tendent; D. B. Allen, state home department superintendent; Rev. Q. Walker, county superintendent normal training department: Mrs. W. H. Hauke, county home department superintendent; and Mrs. A. W. Shannon who will lead in the music. The dates and places of holding the rallies are as follows: Feb. ruary 6, Grand Junction: 7, Lacota: 8, The ladies' aid society of the First Kendall; 9, Gobleville; 10, Bloomingdale; Baptist church will have a baked goods 11, Waverly; 12, Arlington; 13, Lawrence; sale Saturday at E. Smith & Co.'s store. 14, Paw Paw; 15, Almena; 16, Mattawan; Dr. W. F. Hoyt was elected first vice 17, Porter church; 18, Decatur; 19, Cor-

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You have realized that enameled ware is fast taking the place of tin for kitchen and baking purposes; It's because granite is easier to keep clean, looks nicer, but above all, good enameled ware is declared by chemistry experts to be absolutely sanitary. Food standing in these dishes does

not take on any taint that you will always notice in tin. Do you know how tin is made? The steel sheets are immersed in muriatic acid (very poisonous) to clean off all greases and to prepare them for taking on the tin coating; after soaking in the acid they are then taken out and dipped into molten pig tin. The number of dip-

pings and the rolling determine the difference in quality. As long as the tin is not scratched off or worn through, a tin dish is as sanitary as an enameled one, but you can readily see that when the iron is exposed you are directly in contact with a very poisonous surface. Think of this. Can you afford to use that old tin dish when it can be replaced by a perfect utensil at so little expense?

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Stock up with good Enameled Ware; use it for cooking, for baking, for milk, for the hundred and one uses around a cooking room. Your work

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